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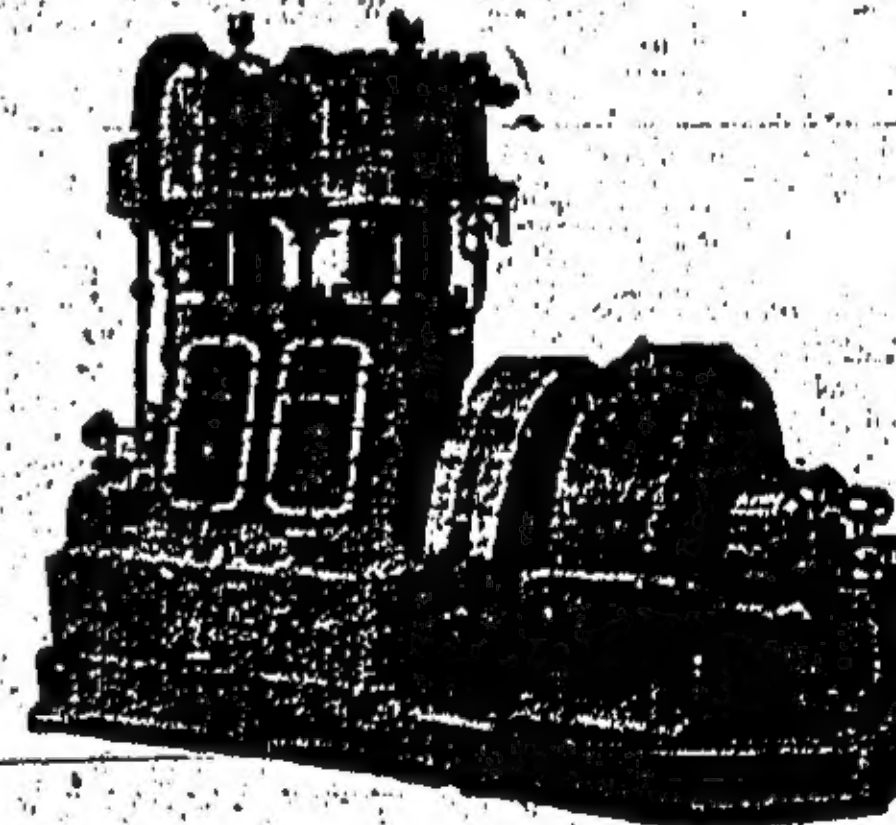
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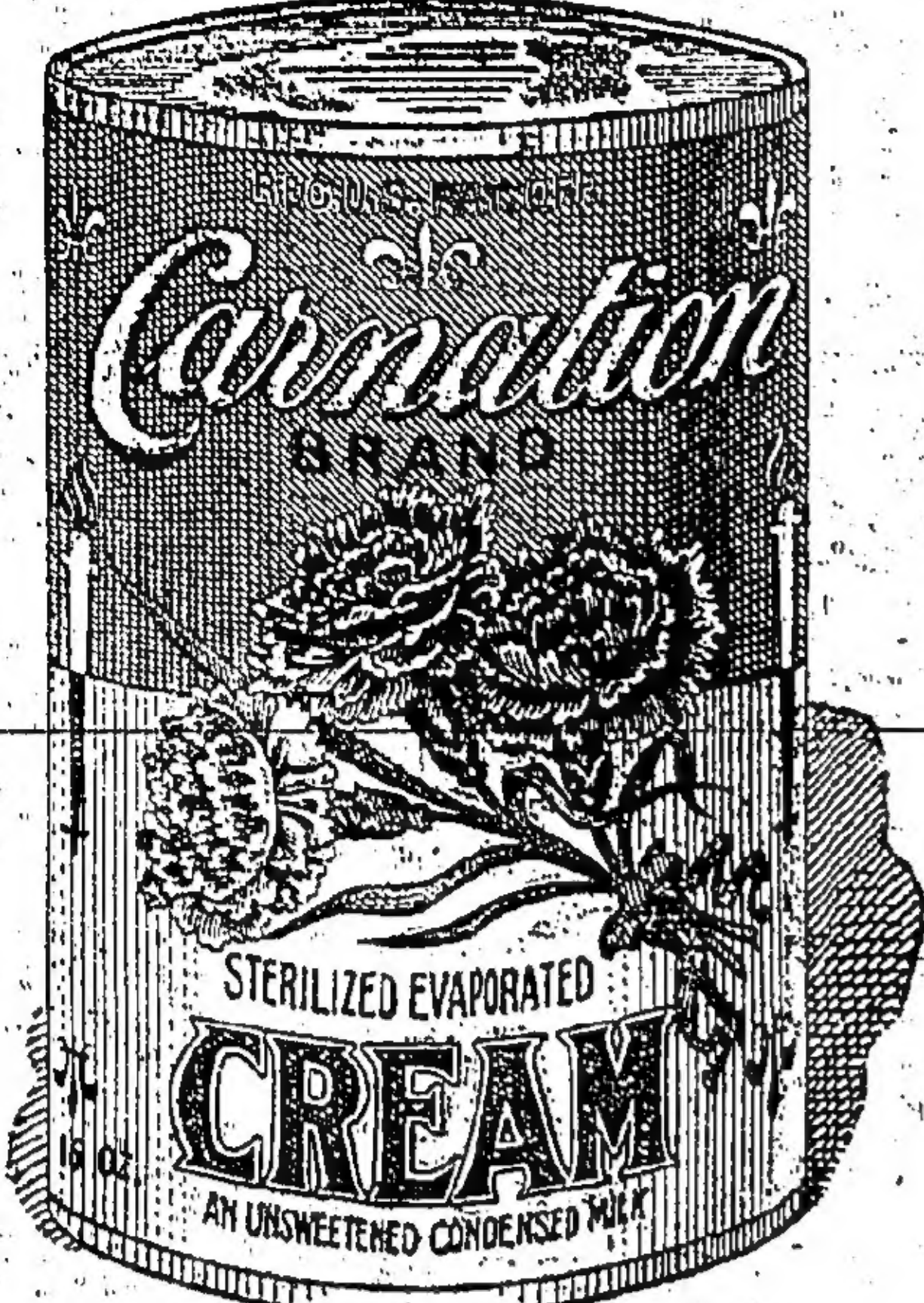
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COMMERCIAL.

SHEAR REPORT.

Messrs Vernon and Smyth in their weekly share report dated October 27th state:

Business generally has ruled dull throughout the past week, and no transactions of importance have transpired. "Rubbers" have been practically neglected during the interval, and at the close are slightly lower on the period under review. Fine Hard Para, which fell to 4 1/4 per lb on the 24th instant, closes firmer at 4 1/4 per lb buyers. The Bank of England rate of discount is unchanged at 4 per cent but the open market rate comes slightly easier at 3 1/2 per cent. Bar silver is quoted at 23 1/2 d. dull, and sterling T.T. at 1/10 1/2. The Bank's buying rate for 3d/4 bills on Shanghai is unchanged at 75 1/2.

Banks.—Hongkong and Shanghai have weakened, and after sales at \$800 are now probably obtainable to a limited extent at \$287 1/2. London after declining to £77 has recovered to £81, middles price, with no shares available under £82.

Marine Insurances.—Unions have strengthened and can be placed at \$845. Other stocks in this section are unchanged and without local business.

Fire Insurances.—No business has transpired and the market closes with probable sellers of China at \$127 and Hongkong at \$360.

Shipping.—Hongkong, Canton and Macao have been booked at \$27, market closing with buyers at \$26 1/2. Indos are in request at \$54, and China and Malacca at \$11. There are buyers of Shell Transport for London account at \$2 1/2, but no shares are available, locally. Douglases and Star Forties without business reported.

Refineries.—China Sugars are easier at \$133 sellers with a reported sale at \$131. At \$130 however we think shares to a limited extent could be placed. Lardons are procurable at \$36 with probable buyers at \$35 under the rate.

Mining.—Rauhe has further appreciated, and sales up to \$4 have been put through, market closing easier with sellers at \$5.10. Charbonnages and Chinese Engineerings are unaltered, and without local business.

Docks, Wharves and Godowns.—Hongkong and Whampoa Docks are quiet with sales and sellers at \$50. Kowloon Wharves are procurable at \$50, but at \$49, buyers might be found. New Anson Docks are procurable at \$8. Shanghai Docks are quoted at Tls. 59 1/2, and Shanghai and Hongkong Wharves at the improved rate of Tls. 88.

Land, Hotels and Buildings.—Hongkong Lands have improved to \$106 with sales, and some sellers at the close. Kowloon Lands are firm with sales and buyers at \$25. West Point has been booked at \$47 and Humphreys at \$7 1/2. Shanghai Lands are easier with sellers at Tls. 103. Hongkong Hotels are firm at \$119 and \$75 for the old and new issues respectively.

Cotton Affili.—Hongkong are weak with sellers at \$5. In the North, Eves are quoted easier at Tls. 95, and Loon-kung-mows at Tls. 71.

Miscellaneous.—Dairy Farms have been booked at \$21 1/2, Electric at \$23, Tels at \$155, and Union Water Bots at \$7 1/2. Langkats after sales at Tls. 75 and Tls. 77 are firmer with buyers at Tls. 78.

Rubbers, etc.—Closing quotations (middle price) as follows were received from London by wire to-day:
United Siam ... 90/-
Allan ... 90/-
Bata ... 22/6
Sapong ... 23/9
Ling ... 15/6
Anglo Malay ... 15/6
E. and I. Trusts ... 6/3 1/2
Babco ... 6/3 1/2
Indo-China (P. & D.) ... 10/8
H.K. Electric Trans ... 9/-
Trombe ... 10/6
Shell "Beaters" ... 8/3
Ludbury ... 6/6
London Agents ... 9/-
London Ventures ... 1/6

THE YARN MARKET.

Messrs Polihawalls and Kotwall, Cotton and Yarn Brokers, report:

Since the issue of our last report on the 14th instant by a.s. Delhi our market has undergone a complete change. Owing to the revolution in the north of China, fresh business has been very much restricted, while lately and at the close it is absolutely at a standstill. A satisfactory feature of the situation, however, is that clearance of old contracts have been very brisk, though in the last day or two some apprehension is felt among the Chinese of grave developments in the Southern provinces which is bound to have the effect of restricting deliveries.

In view of the serious aspect of affairs in China, and the steady fall of American cotton, prospects for some months to come

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are far from encouraging, and this must be a source of keen anxiety to those in Bombay who have entered into the huge forward contracts for next year, recently reported. Prices all round are \$1 to \$2 lower than our previous quotations, at which some 2,600 bales were booked in the early part of the fortnight, but those are more or less nominal.

Total sales 2,600 bales. Unsold stocks 17,000 bales. Sold but undelivered in the Godown and to arrive 16,000 bales.

Arrivals.—The Mail steamer Arcadia and extra steamers China and Hakata Maru from Bombay, and Kunwang from Calcutta have brought in 6,848 bales for Hongkong, and 9,944 bales for Shanghai. Shipments from Hongkong to Shanghai, and coast ports, are amount to about 2,500 bales.

Local Mill.—Nothing doing.

Shanghai.—Business is completely at a standstill.

Japanese Yarn.—Was not at all inquired for during the interval.

Raw Cotton.—Stock is nil nominal.

quotations: Bengal \$36 to 40; Chinese \$40 to 44 per picul.

SCULLING.

How Barry Beat Fogwell.

When Barry defeated Fogwell in the sculling race for the championship of England on the Thames there was a large crowd of spectators ashore and afloat, while three steamers followed the race. Fogwell won the race and took the Mid-die-station. The tide was fast and there was a following wind. The Australian was the quicker away, and he was clear of his opponent at the end of a minute. He led by two lengths and a half at the mile post. Barry, however, was sculling beautifully and without any apparent effort he drew nearly level at Crabtree, where Fogwell was troubled by the rough water. The Englishman then took the lead and at Guyton's he was three lengths to the good.

From this point the race resolved itself into a procession. Barry was eight lengths ahead at Barnes Bridge, and from there he paddled home leisurely in front of Fogwell, who, although he showed signs of having rowed a gruelling race, was not unduly distressed. The official verdict was, a three and a half length victory for Barry. The time for the four miles and a quarter was 22min. 4sec.

Barry, when interviewed regarding the race, said that he attributed his victory to his body swing. "He had never, he remarked, met a more genuine sportsman than Fogwell. Barry added that he was prepared to meet R. Armit on the Thames if he was financially supported. The newspapers generally regard the result of the race as a triumph for the English style of rowing. Barry's long, well-sprung body stroke, busting the challenger's short, quick arm pull. Fogwell's style, they state, gives him an advantage over short distances, but it is of no use on the long Putney-Mortlake course.

"Fogwell showed himself to be as game as a pibble," the "Sportman" remarks, "but he was outclassed. He sculled like a good two-oiler. Barry is underrated in Australia. He undoubtedly did not show his best form on the Thames in his race with Armit."

The freight wharves along the Hooghly are at present a great sight to behold. Long delayed shipments of every description are now arriving from Liverpool and London, having been held up by the recent strike, and the Calcutta shipping agencies are having strenuous times in handling the congested cargo. The warehouses are piled high with boxes, while each arriving steamer from Home, adds to the shipments already in. A special corps of clerks and labourers are rushing the work of handling the goods and turning the consignments over to their proper destinations.

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Sanatogen, in short, is the ideal food for nervous sufferers, and it has the additional advantage that it aids the digestion of other foods. In this way it further improves the nutrition of the body, which is invariably in a poor condition among nervous sufferers. It thus plays a double part, each of which reinforces the other, so that the result never fails to be, in the highest degree, beneficial. Indeed, in proportion to the latitude from which nervous people always suffer in the tropics, is the sense of mental exhilaration and physical well-being which the regular use of Sanatogen ensures.

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Sinking Fund Account 27,565,19 8

231,252,693 17 3

Revenue Fire Branch 2,373,269 17 7

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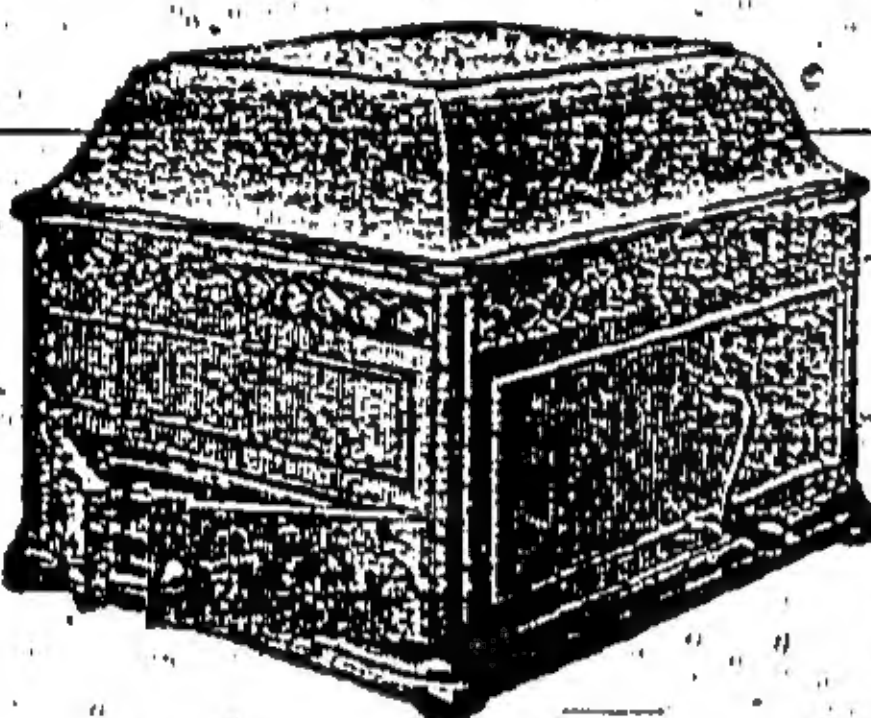
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foreign nations, the Manchus have failed to understand the principles of this intercommunication, and, therefore, they have been embroiled in wars and calamities. They have sacrificed the lives of their soldiers and have brought disgrace upon their country. In addition to all this, bad enough as it is, they have further been compelled to pay big indemnities. After the war with Japan the Government had to pay four hundred million dollars. After the Boxer rising affairs were much worse. The indemnity then demanded, including interest, amounted to nine hundred million dollars. But the central Government had no funds wherewith to pay these sums, and so the burden was laid upon the shoulders of the provincial governments, who were called upon to pay it in instalments. This gave the Viceroy and Governors an opportunity to make something for themselves. They at once increased the number of things taxed, and so fleeced the people, to enrich themselves. From firewood, oil, rice and salt onwards to wine and other things, nothing escaped, but all was heavily taxed. Those who lived on land had to pay taxes on their houses; those who lived afloat were taxed for their boats, until the people could not carry their burdens. Revolutions sprang up everywhere. Then soldiers were sent to suppress these uprisings; these soldiers swept away whole villages, by sword and fire, and the land was laid bare. They thought that there must be severity. But when one thinks of these things one's hair stands on end. This is the seventh count against the Manchus.

"They have widely borrowed foreign money; they have used this money extravagantly. The interest has accumulated to more than the principal. It is piled up mountains high. Yet there seemed to be no anxiety. Moreover, each official has been allowed to borrow. Each has also been allowed to squander the money as he willed and no balance sheets were issued. The more that entered the treasury the more empty it seemed to be. If, on the other hand, we look upon the monetary transactions of other countries, as England, America, and Japan, can it be said that these do not borrow? But then their accounts are clear, and the principles that guide them correct. Though there may be some limitations, the gain is great. There is nothing like the financial confusion that obtains in China. This is the way things have been done in the past, and so the country has gradually become more weak. This is the eighth count against the Manchus.

"Like a fisherman fishing for fish, and a miner digging for gold they have been in the past, and yet there has been no tinge of shame upon their cheeks. They have issued bonds, and so have induced the people to exchange their money for these bonds. They have forced the people to buy these things for money, and then they have repudiated what they have promised, so no faith can be placed in the word of the Government. They have cheated at all times to gain wealth, and could never be relied upon. This is the ninth count.

"All within the four seas have been driven hither and thither, and have no place to rest in. They roll over into ditches and dykes. But in the halls of secluded palaces there is every kind of luxury, and unbridled extravagance. Each day is worse than its predecessor. We have now been able to look into the accounts. From the year of the war with Japan to the time of the Boxer outbreak the 170 millions were being laid out, and every year there was spent not less than three millions. On the occasion of the sixtieth birthday of the Empress, money was sent in in fabulous sums. When the Dowager wanted to go to Tientsin to review the troops, Yung Lu issued bonds to the amount of six million dollars. The year after the Boxer rising, when the Empress returned to Peking, more than twenty millions were spent by her, and thereafter huge sums were devoted to preparing her palaces and places

of amusement. When the EMPRESS DOWAGER reached her seventieth year, the festivities cost thirteen million taels, besides what the provincial Viceroys sent in as presents, which were really bribes for winning her favour, by which they hoped to purchase preferment. The extravagances of one person alone during these years cost the country ninety million taels and more. If the years that have passed since that date are scanned, and the expenditure looked into it will be found that the same thing has been going on. The old and the weak have been flung into ditches and watercourses, and the young and strong have been held in fetters, and the whole of this has been done that those who live within palaces may lead a life of singing and dancing. This is the tenth count that we bring against the Manchu Government.

Our readers will have observed that the gravamen of the whole indictment is the imposition of heavy taxation and the wasteful expenditures of the ruling power. Is history repeating itself? The French revolution was brought about through the economic despair of the French people. Will the reform of China be due to the same cause? Of course all the facts detailed above are familiar to every modern observer of Chinese affairs who has cared to look into the subject and nowhere are they set out in clearer light than in "China under the Empress Dowager," one of the most damning exposures of palace intrigue, chicanery, and extravagance that has ever seen the light of day.

DEATH OF THE HON. MR. WARREN BARNES, C.M.G.

DIES WHILE PLAYING POLO.

At 6 o'clock this evening the sad news of the tragic death of the Hon. Mr. Warren Barnes, C.M.G., Colonial Secretary, was telephoned through to us.

We gather that the cause was heart failure. Mr. Barnes, while playing polo, fell dead from his pony. Surgeon Hastings of the Naval Hospital was on the ground and immediately tried to resuscitate Mr. Barnes, but failed.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The auction of the Flag Edward Hotel takes place on Monday afternoon.

The English Mail of the 30th Sept. was delivered in London on the 27th Oct.

Amended rules respecting the sale of packages in which prepared and dressed opium may be sold appear in the Gazette.

The appeal of Isaac Godinho against his sentence of death for the murder of Miss Brewster, stewardess on R.M.S. China, has been dismissed.

An inquiry which was held at Aden has absolved the officers of the Pifloshire from the disaster which befell the steamer. It was found that the wreck was due to an abnormal current.

A notification has been issued that the Government proposes to erect a public latrine at the upper end of D'Aguilar Street and an underground trough closet near the Fire Brigade station.

As a result of negotiations between Mr. George Reid, High Commissioner for Australia, and the British Customs Department, the latter has agreed to issue a certificate of the age of whisky exported to the Commonwealth.

An opening ceremony is to be held in connection with St. George's Hotel, Kowloon, on Wednesday, November 1, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., when Mr. H. Ruttenberg, proprietor, will be "at home" to his numerous friends.

Numerous launches conveyed a large concourse of people to the S.S. Shinyo Maru, which was kindly thrown open to the public on Friday evening by the Tokyo Kisen Kaisha. The fire-boat was much admired. Refreshments were supplied, while the band of the K.O.Y.L. was present.

The annual All First Fete, in aid of the funds of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, is to be held in the band of the Roman Catholic Cathedral on Sunday, November 5, from 8 p.m. until 11 p.m. The fete is under the patronage of His Excellency Sir Frederick and Lady Legard and as the fete is being arranged by a large and influential committee success is assured.

Booths are being erected in the compound of the Roman Catholic Cathedral by the Society of St. Vincent de Paul for their annual bazaar sale in aid of the poor, which will take place on the 8th of November. Patrons will, we understand, give a special free cinematograph show on the date referred to, in the Catholic Union from 4 to 11 p.m.

The opening of the new chapel and schoolroom in connection with St. Paul's College took place this afternoon. There was a large attendance including many Chinese. The chapel was dedicated by Bishop Lander after which His Excellency the Governor performed the opening ceremony in connection with the new school. A full report will appear in the China Mail on Monday.

STOP PRESS NEWS.

AN IMPERIALISTS SUCCESS.

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

SUNDAY, Oct. 28, 5 p.m.

The Imperialists have taken Hong Kong.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Station leave has been granted to Lieut. W. A. Hagger, 120th Baluchistan Infantry, from 30th October to 8th November, 1911, inclusive.

The Excellencies Sir Frederick and Lady Legard leave Hongkong on November 12th to attend the Delhi Durbar. From the Straits Settlements, the Governor and Lady Evelyn Young are proceeding to Delhi.

H.E. the Governor has been pleased, under instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, to appoint Mr. De W. Trevelyan to be First Assistant Registrar-General and Mr. A. E. Wood to be Second Assistant Registrar-General.

INVESTITURE AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

The Chinese Address to the King.

At the invitation of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Legard, a large number of the leading residents of the Colony attended at Government House on Friday afternoon to witness the investiture of the Hon. A. W. Brewin, Registrar-General, with the insignia of a Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, and Mr. E. H. d'Aguino, of the Stamp Department, with the L.S.O. His Excellency entered the Ball-room accompanied by His Ex. Major-General Anderson, the Hon. Mr. Warren D. Barnes, Colonial Secretary, members of the Legislative Council, Bishop Lander, and a brilliant staff of military and naval officers, and among the ladies present was Lady Legard.

Mr. Brewin was then introduced, being escorted to the dais by the Hon. Mr. Wei Yuk, C.M.G., and the Hon. Mr. Chatham, C.M.G. In planning the decoration on Mr. Brewin's lapel, His Excellency said he had much pleasure in performing the ceremony as it was a recognition by the Crown of the valuable services performed by the recipient during the ten years he had held his present position. During that time he had enjoyed the confidence of successive Governors and had won the affection, confidence and esteem of the Chinese community.

Mr. d'Aguino next entered the room, being escorted by Lieut.-Col. Chapman, V.D. The Governor placed the Order of the L.S.O. on Mr. d'Aguino's coat with the remark that it was a recognition of upwards of forty-seven years faithful service in the Colony. (Applause.)

His Excellency then drew attention to a magnificent embroidered Chinese scroll in heavy Imperial yellow silk, which he said had been presented to His Majesty King George by the Chinese community, and which would be sent to London after the Delhi Durbar. It was a magnificent specimen of embroidery and needlework and together with its massive and elaborately carved blackwood case should make a striking addition to the Royal treasure house at Windsor.

Too was afterwards served.

DINNER TO MR. E. H. D'AGUIÑO, L.S.O.

On Friday evening, after the investiture with the L.S.O. by H.E. the Governor, a number of his colleagues and friends, called on Mr. Eusebio Honorato d'Aguino, Senior Clerk of the Stamp Revenue Office, to tender their heartfelt congratulations on the high honour conferred by His Majesty King George V. for his long and faithful service in this colony. Mr. Aquino is the oldest public servant in the Hongkong Civil Service. He is a member of the Geographical Society of Lisbon as well as a member of the Franco-Hispano-Portuguese Academy of Tolosa, and years ago he was decorated by the late King Dom Carlos with the Order of Chevalier of San Diego for his exceptional artistic merits.

It is well worth noting that the original revenue stamps and the dies of the Stamp Office were the design of Mr. Aquino and the colony has a souvenir from this gentleman registered in the colonial records. In old days, when the Mint was in existence in this Colony, the design of the 50 cents piece was also by Mr. Aquino.

He is one of the oldest residents of the Colony and ever since he has been connected with various social institutions; he has been very popular especially among the Portuguese community.

His numerous friends entertained him at a banquet on Friday night at the Club Lusitano. Mr. Leo d'Almeida e Castro, President of the Club, presided. Commendador J. J. Leiria, the Portuguese Consul, the Committee of the Club, and friends numbering 40 were present. Mr. Leo d'Almeida e Castro proposed the toast of "Our guest," which was received with musical honours, after which Mr. F. J. V. Jorge proposed the health of Mr. Aquino as the oldest member of the Club. Mr. Leiria and a few others also made very suitable addresses. A flash light photo was taken by Miss Chung after dinner. Before the entrance of the Club to the dining hall a profusion of flowers interlarded the space, which were studded with electric coloured bulbs. The land of the R. O. Y. L. was in attendance during the evening and a most enjoyable time was spent.

CORRESPONDENCE.

HONGKONG'S PUBLIC WORKS.

(To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL.")

Sir,—The Victoria Jubilee Fountains were Hongkong's Children once. In 1887 they appeared, like Minerva, fully armed from the helmet of Jove, in their bright burnished beauty, brimming over with loyalty, and offering to all thirsty souls that cup of cold water which is likened "into good news from a far country. Now they lie grovelling in the dust, trampled under the feet of coolies, or have been transformed into futile lamp-posts without lamps: a disgrace to a succession of Directors of Public Works, their foster parents who would all have been indelible for Cruelty to Children were the law of England in force here.

It is to be hoped that the Council will refuse to pass the vote for the D. F. W. salary until this disgrace to this loyal City, and this insult to the memory of the greatest and best beloved of our English Queens whose name the City bears, have been wiped out, either by restoring the fountains to their original condition or by affording their remains decent interment with full honours.

Another child of whose health enquiry should be made is the Baby Landing Light on Blackhead's Hill: are master mariners satisfied with the brilliance of this night light?

The dredger, a sturdy twelve-year old, costs \$3,000 a year to tend whilst it cruises round its moorings accumulating barnacles: why does not Mr. Schoolmaster Beckwith set it to work to prevent these runs on the Western banks which are so irritating to the American and Japanese Mails?

The most promising although youngest child of this sapientarian Colony is the Railway, so juvenile that its engine drivers and passengers are, according to the Manager, afraid to go home in the dark, and the local train must be put to bed and tucked up before nightfall every evening for fear the locomotive should suffer from overwork.

Is the Railway Administration so youthful as to be ignorant of the fact that in dealing with traffic facilities the supply creates the demand? If the rolling stock is deficient, why not put on a steam motor-carriage, such as is used on all the English railways, and run it backwards and forwards to Tai-po at least often enough to keep the rails from rusting?

If something of the sort is not done the residents of Tai-po will have to buy motor cars or flying machines instead of travelling by ordinary expensive railway.

But the most important group of Hongkong's Children are the New Territories themselves, now at the critical age of 13; let us see how their education and development has been conducted.

The New Territories have given Hongkong many excellent gifts, for instance, a magnificent Water Supply, the land for a most necessary and profit promising link with the railway systems of China, an iron mine, golf links and aerodrome, room to expand, space for the exercise of ships and a sense of security from landward attack.

In return the Colony has "suppressed" robbery, has made one North and South road, and is making one East and West road, and has collected taxes and premiums from land sales with great regularity.

In 1910 the Revenue from the New Territories was \$241,000, in 1912 the Expenditure upon the New Territories (excluding any share of the cost of the Central Government) is estimated at about \$178,000, including District and Land Offices and Public Works ordinary and extraordinary, and allowing \$50,000 for Police, \$3,747 for Education and \$204 for a caretaker-cum-at Tai-po: so, even if \$43,217 be added for Military Contribution, it might be said that Master New Territory is being "squeezed" by his older brethren of dollars as well as of water and land.

Tai-po and the trans-alpine nerve-centres (as indicated by Police Stations) are being linked by roads, but the communications with Sai Kung, Hang Hau, Tai Po Wan and all the islands are still in much the same primitive condition as when the last of the Sungs sat on the big boulder on the foot of one of the Nine Dragons, gazing with despairing eyes on the South Eastern-most corner of lifeless Empire.

The enormous island of Lantau, and the busy fishing mart of Cheung Chau have indeed three Police Stations; but what is the use of a Police Station without telephone or electric communication with headquarters? How our Yankee friends must laugh at our primitive methods!

A telephone line to Cheung Chau and Tai O, a ricksha road from Sanauipo to Lai Chi Kok and Tuen Wan (the former bridge over the Lai Chi Kok stream has been washed away, thanks to our vigilant Public Works Department), and a ricksha road from Ngau Shi Wan to Sai Kung and the waters of Mira Bay at Kl. Ling Ho with a branch to Hang Hau—these are the most pressing works necessary to constitute the least possible system of communications.

The Tatin Wan Road has only one low gap of about 350 feet to cross, and a 1 in 20 grade to the 700 feet Sai Kung Gap would involve no great engineering difficulties: each road leads to a series of most beautiful and fertile valleys teeming with native industry.

If Hang Hau were linked up it is possible that the P.M.E.O. (it is outside the jurisdiction of the M.O.H.) might be induced to visit that busy little fishing port and note how typhoid germs are cultivated and typhoid carrying flies bred in the untrashed village sewer at whose mouth the village pigs and urinals root together on the filthiest of thoroughfares, happily ignorant of the fact that a most up to date scientific Sanitary Board is talking about this just the other side of the hill.

A few bags of Green Island Cement mixed with some of the local boulders broken up small, and this pestiferous nuisance, which is probably typical of many New Territory Villages under the British Flag, would cease to exist.

The Government does not forget to collect Crown Rent and Land Sales proceeds from Hang Hau and the other villages; hard earned dollars gathered only to be spent on a reclamation near Tai-po which no one is likely to utilize for many years to come: at any rate not until after the reclamation fish-pond has been built upon.

Tai-po is the spoilt child of the New Territory family upon whom all the money is lavished: it is the duty of a parent to be impartial and to look after all his scattered progeny.

Are not the pineapples of Tuen Wan and the fish of Hang Hau, Cheung Chau and Tai O as important to the Colony as the mad-dogs of Tai-po?

Communication and sanitation should come before reclamation when there are some 400 square miles of dry land to build upon, and if the P. M. D. is too busy to build the roads and train the surveyors are plenty of engineers in the Colony who could put the work through with economy and despatch.

May next year see the birth of one more child, for many years earnestly prayed for—namely, a Wireless Telegraph—Kearns faithfully.

F. E. L. BOWLEY.

HONGKONG, October 27.

Rev. A. Evans, of the English United Methodist Church, located at Tung Chuan Fu, Yunnan, will be the leader of the Christian Union Meeting, to be held at St. Stephen's College at 5.30 p.m. on Monday 30th instant. The meeting is public.

During the crash at St. Francis railway station on the departure of the English cricket team for Australia, Mr. Warner's inner pocket was picked, the thief securing some valuable papers and the party's steamer tickets. Mr. Warner's sister-in-law also lost a diamond-studded watch.

Messrs Lloyd, Matheson and Carruthers weekly tea report for October 26th says:—China.—Our market remains firm. The delivery of Congou for September shows an increase of over 500,000 lbs. against same month last year. Business this week includes a large quantity of New Season's Black-leaf teas at 2½d. @ 2½d., and a few parcels of fine Ningchows at about 2d. @ 1d. 3d. per lb.

SUPPLIERS TAKE NOTICE.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

THE WAR MORE FIGHTING.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Reuter's correspondent at Tripoli wires that the Turks and Arabs attacked the Italian lines at Masy and Bumeiana on the morning of the 23rd instant.

They advanced to within a score of yards of the defenders under a heavy fire, and were repulsed with great loss.

SLOW BUT SURE.

LATER.

Reuter's correspondent at Malta wires that it is now stated that there will be no Italian advances till a further 15,000 troops arrive.

ITALIAN LOSSES.

The Italian losses in the street fighting which took place while suppressing Monday's outbreak in the town totalled 180.

SLAUGHTER OF ARABS.

The house-to-house search for arms continues, and between 40 and 50 Arabs are being shot daily.

ARAB TREACHERY LEADS TO SWEEPING MEASURES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 28.

Reuter's correspondent telegraphing from Rome says that fully a thousand Arabs and Turks were killed in yesterday's fight. This was proportionate to the number wounded.

The Italian losses were about one hundred killed and wounded.

Some Italian losses were again due to treacherous shots from the rear, consequently all the villages and huts in the oasis are being burned and the inhabitants removed to the town.

Two hundred were deported to-day to the Tremi Islands, rocky islets in the Adriatic.

Details show that yesterday's attack on Tripoli was well planned and vigorously and gallantly executed. It was repulsed after prolonged and severe fighting.

Reconnaissance by aeroplanes greatly assisted the Italians in revealing the whereabouts of the enemy, thereby enabling the artillery and warships to intervene effectively.

RAILWAYMEN'S WAGES RAISED.

COUNTERMOVE TO UNIONS.

Higher Freight Rates Cause Protest of Merchants.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 28.

The Railway companies throughout Great Britain have decided to increase the rates of pay of the lower grade men. This is evidently a counter-stroke to the railwaymen's agitation for a strike against the Railway Commission's findings.

Doubtless this will mean higher passenger and freight rates, which the Government promised to sanction. British merchants and consignees are already protesting against the raising of rates and say that presently the nation will be struggling against excessive charges.

THE SUGAR CONVENTION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

The Sugar Convention has met at Brussels to discuss an application by Russia to be allowed to export 400,000 tons annually instead of 200,000 tons.

THE DURBAR.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Reuter learns that His Majesty the King will appear at the Durbar wearing a crown specially made for the occasion.

Her Majesty the Queen will wear her Coronation crown with the Koh-i-noor diamond.

His Majesty will deliver a speech to the people of India which will be distributed in the vernacular throughout India. It will also be published simultaneously in India and Britain.

Their Majesties will not land at Port Said, but will receive the Khedive of Egypt on board their ship.

BY TELEGRAPH.

THE REBELLION.

A WEAKENING THRONE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Reuter's Peking correspondent wires that an Imperial edict orders the release from custody of the President of the Szechuen Assembly and other leaders of the rioting at Chengtu, and the punishment of Chao Erh Feng and Wan Jan Wen, the present and past viceroys of Szechuen.

Chinese papers report that the troops at Chengtu have mutinied and killed Chao Erh Feng.

FOOCHOW FALLEN.

It is officially stated that Foochow has fallen.

"UTTER SURRENDER."

LATER.

Reuter's correspondent at Peking says that the dismissal of Sheng Kung Pao, President of the Ministry of Communications, who is identical with Cheng Shuan-Huai, whose impeachment was demanded by the National Assembly on the 24th inst., constitutes the utter surrender of the Government. Foreigners regard Sheng as an enlightened and capable official.

His successor, Tang Shao Yi, is a partisan of Yuan Shih Kai.

REBEL LEADER'S NOTIFICATION.

LATER.

Reuter's correspondent at Peking reports that Li Yuan Chang, the rebel leader, has informed the Consulate that he is President of the China Republic.

This communication the Foreign Ministers have not answered. Li proposed to administer the Customs at Changsha and other centres but, the Foreign Ministers objecting, he agreed that the revenue should remain to the credit of the Inspector-General.

The negotiations are said to reveal ability, tact and a desire to avoid misunderstanding with the foreign Powers.

SHENG KUNG PAO'S LIFE ATTEMPTED.

Americans Escort Him to Tientsin.

LONDON, Oct. 28.

Reuter's correspondent at Peking telegraphs that an attempt was made yesterday to assassinate Sheng Kung Pao, who narrowly escaped. He took refuge in the American Legation, whence ten soldiers escorted him to Tientsin.

This is the first sign that the revolutionists have reached the capital.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 28.

Reuter's correspondent at Peking wires that the British, French, German and American Ministers made representations to the Government with a view to preventing the possible decapitation of Sheng Kung Pao.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
SHANGHAI, Oct. 28.

An attempt was made yesterday to assassinate Sheng Kung Pao. He took refuge in the American Legation, whence he was escorted by a guard of marines to Tientsin.

YUAN SHIH KAI SUPREME.

LONDON, Oct. 28.

An Imperial Edict confirms the appointment of Yuan Shih Kai, who now ranks as an Imperial Minister. He proceeds to-morrow to Sin-Yangsho to take up the supreme command of the Army and Navy.

THE FATE OF YIN CHANG.

There are persistent reports of the death of General Yin Chang.

ADMIRAL SAH'S MEN.

(Wah Tea Yat Po's Service.)
SHANGHAI, Oct. 27.

It is again reported that Admiral Sah's fleet has hoisted the white flag as an indication of its willingness to surrender.

REVOLT SPREADING.

Since the fall of Kinkiang considerable unrest has made itself felt in the towns of Wahu, Nanking and Chingking.

BY TELEGRAPH.

BOXING MATCH ABANDONED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 28.

The Wells-Moir boxing match has been abandoned owing to the impossibility of securing a hall in London as a result of the Johnson agitation.

AMISCHIEVOUS RUMOUR DENIED.

JAPAN NOT INTERFERING.

(Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)
TOKYO, Oct. 28.

The rumour that Japan is preparing to dispatch an army against the revolutionists with the purpose of helping the Chinese Government is entirely unfounded.

The Japanese Army, it is true, is preparing for the Grand Army manoeuvres, which will take place in Kyushu.

The above fact is supposed to be the source of the mischievous rumour.

SCULLING.

AN OFFER FROM AUSTRALIA.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Arnst has cabled offering Barry his expenses if he will row on the Parana river at Easter for £500 aside.

HOME RULE.

LORD SELBORNE'S VIEW.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Lord Selborne, speaking at Peterborough said the resistance of Ulstermen to Home Rule could only be put down by force.

It had been said that Home Rule must be good because it had been successful in South Africa, but the very reverse happened in South Africa where the continued separation of the Colonies would have meant war.

THE COMMONWEALTH'S BUDGET.

A SUBSTANTIAL SURPLUS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Reuter's correspondent at Melbourne wires that Mr Fisher, in presenting the Commonwealth Budget statement, said the revenue amounted to £18,803,000 and the expenditure to £16,73,000.

The surplus would be assigned to old-age pensions and fleet construction.

The Imperial Government had offered a quarter of a million annually towards the maintenance of the fleet.

THE MOROCCAN QUESTION.

AGREEMENT INVOLVES TWO TREATIES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Reuter learns that the Franco-German agreement will be comprised in two separate Treaties of which only the one dealing with Morocco will be formally communicated to the Powers.

Both will be signed before November 8th, when both the French and German Parliaments meet.

HOME POLITICS.

UNOPPOSED ELECTION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Mr C. E. H. Hobhouse has been returned unopposed for Bristol, East, on his appointment to the Duchy of Lancaster.

THE COMET.

It will interest a good many people in Hongkong to hear that Brooke's comet is now visible in the morning sky about 6 o'clock. It rises to the east of the Colony, and lies below the morning star. It has rapidly increased in brightness during the past few days and can be picked up easily by the naked eye, while with a glass it is discerned quite plainly, showing a tail several yards long.

Says the Manchuria Daily News:—Something of a most serious nature must have taken place in the Chinese Army. The whole organization seems to be sitting on a hot brick. Traces of the blood, if spoken to on the present crisis, will look extremely depressed, overcome by some suppressed emotion.

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(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 28.

The Wells-Moir boxing match has been abandoned owing to the impossibility of securing a hall in London as a result of the Johnson agitation.

AMISCHIEVOUS RUMOUR DENIED.

JAPAN NOT INTERFERING.

(Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)
TOKYO, Oct. 28.

The rumour that Japan is preparing to dispatch an army against the revolutionists with the purpose of helping the Chinese Government is entirely unfounded.

The Japanese Army, it is true, is preparing for the Grand Army manoeuvres, which will take place in Kyushu.

The above fact is supposed to be the source of the mischievous rumour.

SCULLING.

AN OFFER FROM AUSTRALIA.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Arnst has cabled offering Barry his expenses if he will row on the Parana river at Easter for £500 aside.

HOME RULE.

LORD SELBORNE'S VIEW.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Lord Selborne, speaking at Peterborough said the resistance of Ulstermen to Home Rule could only be put down by force.

It had been said that Home Rule must be good because it had been successful in South Africa, but the very reverse happened in South Africa where the continued separation of the Colonies would have meant war.

THE COMMONWEALTH'S BUDGET.

A SUBSTANTIAL SURPLUS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Reuter's correspondent at Melbourne wires that Mr Fisher, in presenting the Commonwealth Budget statement, said the revenue amounted to £18,803,000 and the expenditure to £16,73,000.

The surplus would be assigned to old-age pensions and fleet construction.

The Imperial Government had offered a quarter of a million annually towards the maintenance of the fleet.

THE MOROCCAN QUESTION.

AGREEMENT INVOLVES TWO TREATIES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Reuter learns that the Franco-German agreement will be comprised in two separate Treaties of which only the one dealing with Morocco will be formally communicated to the Powers.

Both will be signed before November 8th, when both the French and German Parliaments meet.

HOME POLITICS.

UNOPPOSED ELECTION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Oct. 27.

Mr C. E. H. Hobhouse has been returned unopposed for Bristol, East, on his appointment to the Duchy of Lancaster.

THE COMET.

It will interest a good many people in Hongkong to hear that Brooke's comet is now visible in the morning sky about 6 o'clock. It rises to the east of the Colony, and lies below the morning star. It has rapidly increased in brightness during the past few days and can be picked up easily by the naked eye, while with a glass it is discerned quite plainly, showing a tail several yards long.

Says the Manchuria Daily News:—Something of a most serious nature must have taken place in the Chinese Army. The whole organization seems to be sitting on a hot brick. Traces of the blood, if spoken to on the present crisis, will look extremely depressed, overcome by some suppressed emotion.

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	ATSUTA MARU, Capt. Wm. Thompson, Tons 9000	WEDNESDAY, 22nd Nov., at Daylight.
	HITACHI MARU, Capt. T. Yamawaki, Tons 7000	WEDNESDAY, 6th Dec., at Daylight.
VICTORIA, B.C. AND SEATTLE, via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBÉ, YOKOHAMA & MANILA.	AWA MARU, Capt. Irimura, Tons 7000	TUESDAY, 7th Nov., at Noon.
	INABA MARU, Capt. S. Tomimaga, Tons 7000	TUESDAY, 5th Dec., at Noon.
VICTORIA, B.C. AND SEATTLE	KAMAKURA MARU, Capt. J. Richards, Tons 7000	SATURDAY, 4th Nov., from KOBÉ.
SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, via MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE AND BRISBANE.	YAWATA MARU, Capt. T. Sakai, Tons 6000	FRIDAY, 24th Nov., at Noon.
	NIKKO MARU, Capt. M. Yagi, Tons 6000	FRIDAY, 21st Dec., at Noon.
BOMBAY, via SINGAPORE, COLOMBO AND PORT SAID.	WAKASA MARU, Capt. N. Nielsen, Tons 7000	WEDNESDAY, 31st Oct., at Noon.
SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBÉ	CEYLON MARU, Capt. Tanaka, Tons 6000	WEDNESDAY, 8th Nov., at Noon.
KOBÉ & YOKOHAMA	MIYASAKI MARU, Capt. T. Mura, Tons 8000	THURSDAY, 9th Nov., at 11 a.m.
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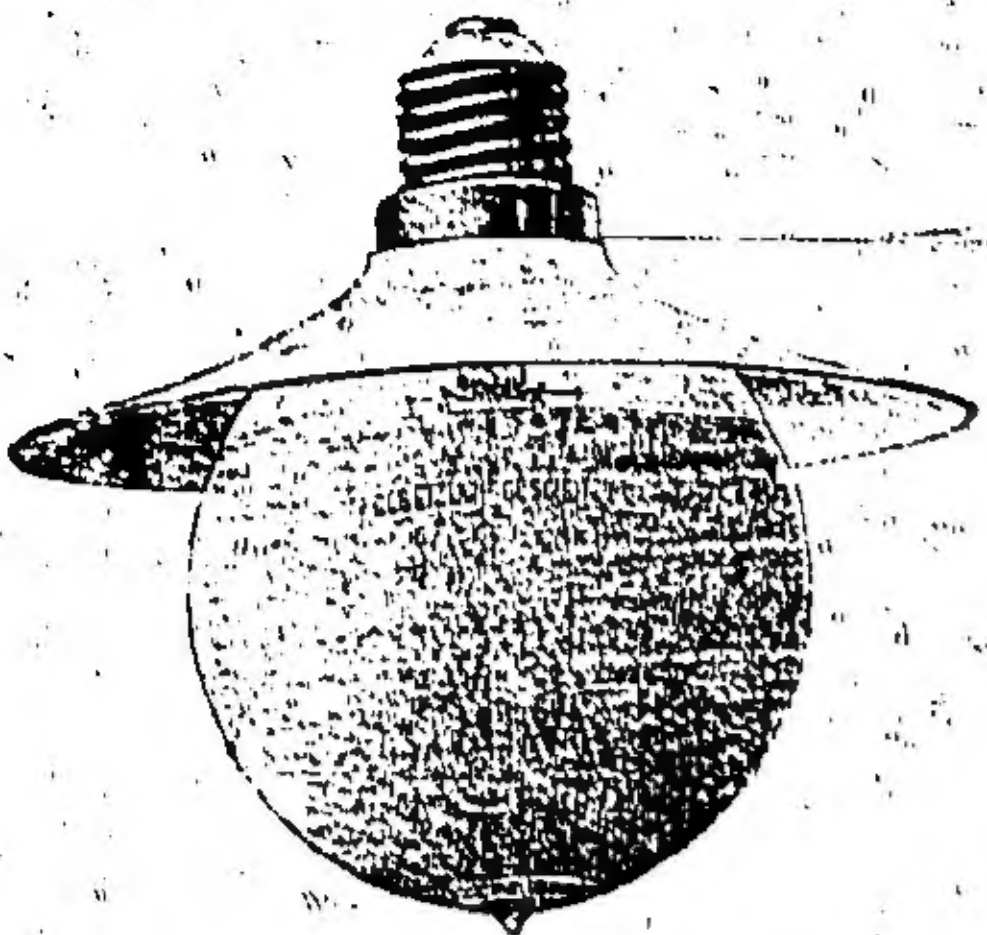
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S.S. SPECIA.....2nd Dec.	For Rotterdam, Hamburg & A'werp
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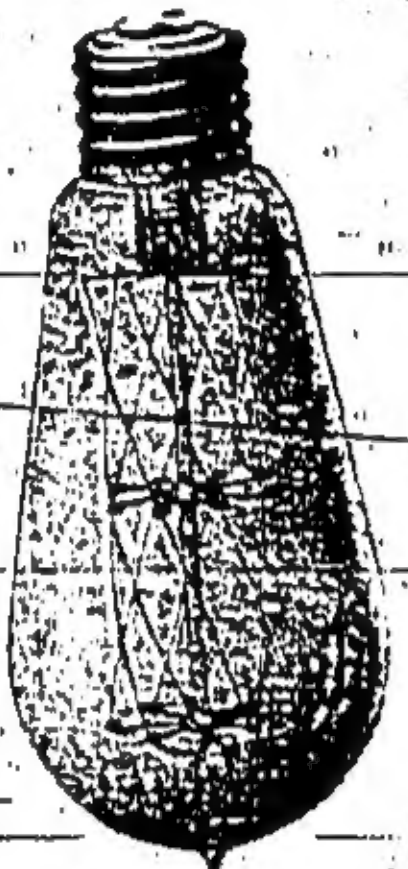
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CHURCH SERVICES.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29th, 1911.

St. John's Cathedral.

20th Sunday after Trinity.

8.15 a.m. (11.15 a.m.)

Readings: Psalm 139; Isaiah 40; Luke 11.

Prayers: For the King, for the Empire, for the Church, for the World.

Holy Communion (12.15 p.m.)

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St. Andrew's Church, Nathan Road, Kowloon.

Morning Service 11 a.m.—Venite, 20th Day of the Month, Psalm 139, Isaiah 40, Luke 11.

Prayers: For the King, for the Empire, for the Church, for the World.

Holy Communion (12.15 p.m.)

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St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road West.

Morning Service 11 a.m.—Venite, 20th Day of the Month, Psalm 139, Isaiah 40, Luke 11.

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Holy Communion (12.15 p.m.)

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St. Paul's Church, Queen's Road West.

Morning Service 11 a.m.—Venite, 20th Day of the Month, Psalm 139, Isaiah 40, Luke 11.

Prayers: For the King, for the Empire, for the Church, for the World.

Holy Communion (12.15 p.m.)

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St. George's Church, Queen's Road West.

Morning Service 11 a.m.—Venite, 20th Day of the Month, Psalm 139, Isaiah 40, Luke 11.

Prayers: For the King, for the Empire, for the Church, for the World.

Holy Communion (12.15 p.m.)

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St. James' Church, Queen's Road West.

Morning Service 11 a.m.—Venite, 20th Day of the Month, Psalm 139, Isaiah 40, Luke 11.

Prayers: For the King, for the Empire, for the Church, for the World.

Holy Communion (12.15 p.m.)

Prayers: For the King, for the Empire, for the Church, for the World.

St. Michael's Church, Queen's Road West.

Morning Service 11 a.m.—Venite, 20th Day of the Month, Psalm 139, Isaiah 40, Luke 11.

Prayers: For the King, for the Empire, for the Church, for the World.

Holy Communion (12.15 p.m.)

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St. Nicholas' Church, Queen's Road West.

Morning Service 11 a.m.—Venite, 20th Day of the Month, Psalm 139, Isaiah 40, Luke 11.

Prayers: For the King, for the Empire, for the Church, for the World.

Holy Communion (12.15 p.m.)

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St. Basil's Church, Queen's Road West.

Morning Service 11 a.m.—Venite, 20th Day of the Month, Psalm 139, Isaiah 40, Luke 11.

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October 27.

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Taming, British str., 1,350, A. Somer-

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October 28.

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Shanghai Oct. 23. General.—BUTTERFIELD &

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Minas, American str., 13,323, T. W.

Garlick, Seattle Sept. 18, and Manila Oct.

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Fukue Maru, Japanese str., 3,970, N.

Kusun, Most Oct. 23. General.—NORRIS

TUGS & KATMA.

Pilsbush, German steamer, 1,267, D.

Reimers, Bangkok and Swatow Oct. 27.

Rise.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Flora, British cruiser, 4,360, C. F. Cor-

bett, M.V.O., Singapore Oct. 23.

Alau, British str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES.

October 28.

Deranda, for Singapore and Bombay.

Korea, for Shanghai and San Francisco.

Korea, for Canton.

Lokang, for Shanghai.

Turkish Maru, for Mito.

Fukue Maru, for Mito.

Aoki Maru, for Mito.

Deranda, for Manila and Liverpool.

Mexican Prince, for Palembang.

Tsimah, for Batavia.

Dugny, for Hongkong.

Kunming, for Singapore and Calcutta.

Yuenang, for Manila and Hilo.

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Senegambia, for Singapore and Hamburg.

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cheek bones against

the cheeks were sore

sore, making him look

ghastly. He had a large

sore on each arm and all

up his spine, and in the

bend of his arms and legs.

The latter were so bad that

the child could hardly

walk. Whenever the child

scratched himself, some